(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH) : (a) to (c). The All India Kendriya Vidyalaya Teachers' Association has put forward a number of demands at different times including the demands as reffered to in the press report under reference.

The representatives of the association met the Minister of Human Resource Development on 17.11.1991. The Govt. is always willing to discuss matters with Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan employees' Associations with a view to looking into their reasonable demands so that appropriate solutions could be arrived at.

**Quality of C.G.H.S. Medicines**

873. SHRI MADAN LAL KHURANA:
SHRI ANAND RATNA MAURYA:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Drug Controller had been asked to collect samples from the Government Medical Stores Depots of the medicines being supplied to the various C.G.H.S. Dispensaries/hospitals to check their purity;

(b) if so, the details of the testing of the medicines with the result during 1989-90, 1991-92;

(c) whether the C.G.H.S. dispensaries and hospitals are generally out of stock of medicines;

(d) if so, the steps taken to stock the dispensaries/hospitals with sufficient stock of medicines;

(e) whether the upkeep of the CGHS dispensaries/hospitals is not up to the standard; and

(f) if so, the steps taken or proposed to keep the hospitals and dispensaries neat and clean in all respects?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D.K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) and (b). The Drugs Controller (India) had asked his Zonal Officers at Madras, Calcutta, Ghaziabad and Bombay to draw samples from the Government Medical Store Depots/C.G.H.S. Dispensaries/Hospitals in February, 1991. However, samples were being drawn prior to this also.

Out of 114 samples tested so far, during 1989-90, 1990-91 and 1991-92, 97 samples have been found to be of standard quality and 17 samples have been found to be not of standard quality.

(c) to (f). Some steps have been taken to ensure the availability of medicines in the CGHS Dispensaries/Hospitals. These includes authorising private Chemists on a Zonal basis to supply medicines which are of stock to the dispensaries and streamlining the purchase procedures.

Adequate staff has been provided in all the Dispensaries for ensuring cleanliness.

**CGHS Beneficiaries**

874. SHRI MADAN LAL KHURANA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CGHS beneficiaries are receiving proper, adequate and prompt medical attention and care at the hands of the specialist doctors visiting dispensaries and the hospitals;